

To whom it may concern:

I am concerned with the latest attempt at commercial radio's attempt at curbing competition by subscription services. I purchased an XM system as I was getting fed up with the excessive commercial blocks in between brief periods of actual music.

In my opinion, Clear Channel, and Infinity Broadcasting have no right to deny XM's rights to expand their services through NAB. This is a free market economy. If Clear Channel, and Infinity Broadcasting wish to compete with XM, then they simply need to offer a better service.

The national footprint of XM's broadcast range is of tremendous benefit for multistate travel. If I am passing through a metropolitan area covered by their traffic and weather service, I have the capacity to listen ahead, and plan my routes accordingly, and then go back to my fully commercial free music station of choice.

Please deny the NAB petition to deny XM's right to broadcast these services to their paying subscribers.